

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : WIEDEMANN et al.  
Serial No. : 10/532,741  
Confirm. No. : 8966  
Filed : April 26, 2005  
For : SYSTEM AND METHOD...  
Art Unit : 3726  
Examiner : HONG, John C.  
Dated : July 20, 2009

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.136 (a)**

Sir:

The Office Action dated February 18, 2009 provided for a shortened statutory period for response of three months.

The shortened statutory period expired May 18, 2009.

Since the attached response is being filed within the second month pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to charge the appropriate petition fee of \$490.00 (fee code 1252).

Respectfully submitted  
for Applicant(s),



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SHOULD ANY OTHER FEE BE REQUIRED, THE PATENT AND  
TRADEMARK OFFICE IS HEREBY REQUESTED TO CHARGE SUCH FEE TO  
OUR DEPOSIT ACCOUNT 13-0410.